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Dear Sir:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the list of claims which

begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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Applicants do not believe that any fees are due at this time, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may have been overlooked to Deposit Account No. 10-0223.

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